

**ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 14114.0344U2  
PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of )

KHUDYAKOV et al. )

Art Unit: 1648 )

Application No. 09/491,146 )

Examiner: Lucas, Zachariah )

Filing Date: January 25, 2000 )

Confirmation No. 8145 )

For: MOSAIC PROTEIN AND RESTRICTION )  
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METHOD FOR MAKING SAME )**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**MAIL STOP AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C.  
Customer Number 23859

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$110.00	(\$ 55.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$420.00	(\$210.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$950.00	(\$475.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,480.00	(\$740.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$2,010.00	(\$1,005.00)*

\* Small Entity

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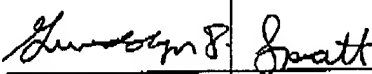
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A Credit Card payment Form PTO-2038 authorizing payment in the amount of \$110.00 representing the fee for a large entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), and an Amendment and Response to Office Action are enclosed. This amount is believed to be correct; however the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

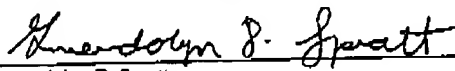
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**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8**

I hereby certify that this correspondence, including any items indicated as attached or included, is being transmitted via facsimile transmission to: Examiner Zachariah Lucas, Mail Stop AF, Art Unit 1648, (703) 872-9306, on the date indicated below.

  
Gwendolyn D. Spratt

12-15-03  
Date